

## NON-PROVISIONAL UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL - 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the non-provisional utility patent application entitled:

Copper-Dependent Non-Traditional Pro-Inflammatory Cytokine Export and Methods, Compositions and Kits Relating Thereto

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a	[X] Cont	tinuation, [] Divisional, or [] Continuation-in-part (CIP)							
	of prio	or Application No. PCT/US02/27247, filed August 26, 2002, which claims priority to U.S							
	Provis	ional Application No. 60/314,837, filed August 24, 2001.							
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	[X]	Specification (including Abstract) and claims: 61 pages.							
		Application Data Sheet.							
	[X]	Unexecuted Declaration.							
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	[]	Separate Power of Attorney (including 37 CFR 3.73(b) statement, if applicable).							
	[X]	16 Sheets of drawings (formal).							
	[]	Microfiche computer program (Appendix).							
	[]	Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission, including:							
		[] Computer readable copy [] Paper Copy [] Verified Statement.							
	[]	Under PTO-1595 Cover Sheet, an assignment of the invention							
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